

St. Paul Advertisements.

THE CHEAPEST PLACE TO BUY YOUR

DRY GOODS

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Where you get Good Goods at Low Prices.

A Beautiful Stock of

DRESS GOOD

At all prices, from 15 cents upward.

SILK SACQUES and RACQUETTES.

CHIFFON SACQUES and RACQUETTES.

BALENOES and HOOD SKIRTS.

See Sign.

A handsome lot of

BLACK SILKS.

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES.

PRINTS, MUSLINS, &c., &c.

See Sign.

H. K. TAYLOR,

ST. PAUL - MINN.

MUNGER BROTHERS,

MUSIC DEALERS.

Concert Hall Block, St. Paul, Minn.

Sole Agents for

STEINWAY'S, CHICKERING'S

GROVESTEIN, YOCKES,

UNITED, ALSO FOR

PRINCE'S MELODIAN

and SCHOOL ORGANS.

AND

MASON & HEMLIN'S

Cabinet Organs.

N. B.—We keep constantly on hand

the only complete stock of

Sheet Music,

Musical Instruments,

Musical Merchandise,

in the North West.

St. Paul, Minnesota.

J. L. FOREPAUGH, M. ACHARD, G. R. FISCH

J. L. FOREPAUGH & CO.

Wholesale Dealers in

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS &c.

No. 155 Third Street,

Saint Paul, Minn.

See Sign.

\$300 MONTHLY—Agents wanted for

entirely new article, just out. Ad-

dress O. T. GAREY, City Building Block

Maine.

THE

ETNA

PORTLAND FIRE

Insurance Company,

HARTFORD, CON.

ASSETS, JULY 1, 1900.

Cash in bank and with Agents \$257,229 09

Or a daily income of \$9,240 00

United States Stock 812,277 25

Real estate, unimproved 90,350 05

State Stocks 497,690 00

N. Y. Bank Stocks 234,170 00

Hartford Bank Stocks 270,810 00

Mutual Bank Stocks 129,000 00

Midland Stocks, etc. 273,067 50

Monies loaned on mortgage 1,011,136 00

TOTAL \$2,555,350 55

LIABILITIES \$221,335 35

Net, \$2,334,015 20.

Income for last year (net) \$2,073,300 35

Or a daily income of \$9,240 00

Losses & expenses for last year \$2,341,204 30

Total losses paid in 47 years \$19,127,410 05

Yrs. Ties \$17,213,000 00. Indeb. \$581,400 07.

Government and State Taxes paid \$179,173 34

LOSS

By Portland Fire, July 4.

The total amount covered by Etna policies

on property destroyed or damaged is \$296,

544, on which savings will be about 100 per

cent. Our total loss will not vary much from

\$200,000, and is being promptly adjusted and

paid. This sum is paid out upon the assets

of Etna and is not a liability upon the assets

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Stillwater Advertisements.

BUTLER & DODD,

Commission and Forwarding

MERCHANTS.

DRY GOODS.

SALT, HIDES, GRAIN, FLOUR,

FEED AND WOOL.

Agents for Northwestern

American Express Co's.

Stillwater, Minn.

January 16, 1900

NEW JEWELRY STORE,

The undersigned begs leave to inform the

people of Stillwater and vicinity that he has

removed his Jewelry Store from Hudson to

the city of Stillwater, where he intends to lo-

cate permanently.

He is prepared to clean and repair Clocks

and Watches, repair Jewelry, &c., in better

and more durable manner than the same can

be done in this city of St. Croix, or the East.

Give me a call.

Shop on Main street, next door the Scheffer

& Thompson's Bank.

Also an assortment of Clocks, Watches and

Jewelry constantly on hand, which are war-

anted to be such as represented.

U. H. HINGWORTH,

Stillwater March 17, 1896.

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Miscellaneous.

C. L. BARNES & CO.

Steamboat, Railroad and

EXPRESS AGENT.

PRESCOTT, WIS.

AMERICAN HOUSE.

JOHN MOLE, Proprietor.

MINNEAPOLIS.

Having lately made an addition to the

above house I am now prepared to accom-

modate all. The tables are always well sup-

plied. A good stable is attached to the prem-

ises.

JOHN MOLE.

An Invention of Bare Merit

METAL TOP

LAMP CHIMNEY,

THAT WILL NOT BREAK

BY HEAT.

Burns up all gas and smoke,

never breaks by pushing on

chimney; short, and not top-

heavy; perfect chimney known

and in fact representing all

the best of the kind.

25¢ a dozen can afford to be

without them.

NEW LAMP CHIMNEY CO.,

73 Warren St., N. Y.

R. O. STRONG'S

CARPET HALL,

225 Third Street, (Rogers' Block),

SAINT PAUL, MINN.

Importers, Dealer in and manufacturer of

Carpet, Oil Cloth, Matting, Curtain Mate-

rial and Trimmings, Upholstering and Fur-

nishing Goods, Window Shades, Wall Paper

Matresses, Featherbeds, &c.

CHAS. FRIEND,

Manufacturer of and Dealer in

Whips,

Sheets and Horse Blankets,

Saddles and Harnesses,

Fly Nets and Collars, &c.,

Trunks.

My Motto Is—Cheap For Cash.

Robert Street, between 4th and 5th Sts.

St. Paul, Minn. 16 3m

J. G. E. T. Z.

Importers and Dealer in Fancy goods, toys,

yankee notions, confectionery, fruits, &c. No.

207 Third Street, St. Paul, Minn.

Job Printing.

In all varieties, done with neatness and

dispatch. The Barre Office is well stock-

BOHRER, MORRISON & REEVES.

[Successors to COOLEY, CARVER, & CO.]

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

and Commission Merchants,

NUMBER 3, JACKSON STREET, SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA

We have in Store one of the LARGEST STOCKS of

STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES,

Tobaccos and Cigars.

Which were selected by experienced buyers at Low Figures, to meet the wants of

this Trade. We would respectfully solicit an inspection of our Stock, as we feel confident

we can meet the views of the closest buyers.

We are also prepared to handle Country Produce of all kinds, and make liberal cash ad-

vances on consignments.

Referring to the above, we take pleasure in commending our successors to our old friend

and patrons throughout the State, soliciting for them a continuance of the favors hitherto

extended to us. Very Respectfully,

COOLEY, CARVER & CO.

Saint Paul, October 10th, 1895.

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Miscellaneous.

DRS. SPIER & GRISWOLD.

Physicians and Surgeons

Having located permanently at Taylor

Falls are prepared to attend to all profes-

sional calls, day and night.

Surgery will receive special attention.

Office next door to W. H. G. Folsom's Store.

Taylor Falls July 7, 1896.

New Meat Market.

TAYLOR FALLS.

(Government St. opposite the Chicago House.)

J. D. BALLARD.

The highest market price paid for Beef,

Cattle, Sheep, Mutton, Hides, Furs, &c.

Taylor Falls Minn., June 24 1896.

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ANTON BAIER.

BOOT AND SHOE MAKER.

Taylor Falls, - - Minn.

Keeps on hand a complete stock of leather

for manufacturing the goods in his line. All

work warranted. A share of patronage sol-

icited. Shop on Government St. nearly op-

posite the Chicago House.

n40-y.

REGULAR TRI-WEEKLY.

ST. CROIX RIVER PACKET.

G. B. KNAPP.

Oscar Knapp, Master.

Will leave Taylor Falls every Tuesday,

Thursday and Saturday, at 7 o'clock A. M.,

touching at all intermediate points on the

River and Lake, arriving at Prescott the same

evening, and making close connections with

the Northwestern Union Packet Co.

Leave Prescott every Monday, Wednesday

and Friday, arriving at Taylor Falls the

same evening.

St. Croix White Lime,

THORNTON & CO.

FRANCONIA, MINNESOTA.

This Lime is warranted to be of

THE VERY BEST QUALITY

And it is carefully put up in good substan-

tial barrels. All orders will be attended to

with promptness and dispatch.

ED. H. FOLSOM, Agent, Taylor Falls.

20 y1.

Stoves and Tinware.

JUST RECEIVED!

Now offering the latest and most desirable

Patterns of Stoves,

AND A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

TINWARE.

To the trade, which will be sold at near Chi-

cago and Milwaukee prices, at the extra ex-

pense of laying down the goods in this mar-

ket will allow. I am now prepared to fill

all orders for

TINWARE, STOVE PIPE, &c., &c.

An examination of Stock, prices, &c., &c., is

solicited.

ALL kinds of Jobbing and Custom work

done at the old stand, on First Street near

the bridge.

THOMAS LACY

Wm. Dobney's Column.

WILLIAM DOBNEY,

CORNER STORE.

Successor to N. M. & S. HUMPHREY & Co.

Takes pleasure in informing the citizens of

Taylor Falls and vicinity that he has pur-

chased the old stand, known as the

"CORNER STORE,"

Which he has thoroughly refitted and re-

novated.

This is now

The Place to Purchase.

For in addition to the well selected stocks

on hand, he has ordered

A NEW SUPPLY

OF

Staple and Fancy

Dry Goods & Groceries.

Consisting in part of

Dress Goods, Merinoes,

Cloaking, Delains,

Hosiery, Calicoes,

Gloves, Lawns,

Dalmorals, Skirts,

Millinery Trimmings

White Goods,

&c., &c.

Straw, Fur and Wool HATS and CAPS.

BOOTS & SHOES,

For Ladies, Gents, and Misses' Wear.

Crockery & Glasware,

HARDWARE,

And a full assortment of

GROCERIES

He Has Just Received

A FULL STOCK OF

Stone and Earthen Ware,

GLASS FRUIT JARS, &c., &c.

Also a full assortment of

CUTLERY.

Having PURCHASED HIS STOCK

AT LOW FIGURES AND FOR

CASH, HE WILL SELL

THEM ON THE

SAME TERMS.

TERMS CASH

WILLIAM DOBNEY,

AT THE CORNER STORE

Whitelland.

"KING CARBON."

The following excellent impromptu was dashed off by Helen Robinson after visiting the coal wharves at Scranton, Penn.:

Quick your valets, great Carbon King,
And sit mead your secret history.
How was your kingdom made, till now,
You'll show the monarch's story.
You've hid within these rugged hills,
What is your heart, your life, your soul,
Which all the world with want so oft
Must find relief from your coal.
But don't that mine a right answer,
If coal was made of growing plants,
Or grew from the life of flowers,
Or any of his green associates,
Say, were you made of fern and tree,
An age before the age of trees,
Ten million years before life breath'd
You'd show us how the monarch's life breath'd.

What is your age old Carbonate,
And what your looks, when you were young?
O were you ever so tall and tall,
Whod your youth have ever sung?
If you're so sure is needed,
To like to show it was needed,
How you'd like to see your family line
Beyond the age of Solar time.
I've been down where they dig your vitals,
And under long, dark, and dreary,
To see how hard, at the bottom,
You were made of the earth's plan,
To see how the light of life came,
In the heart of the earth's plan,
To see how the light of life came,
In the heart of the earth's plan.

The Dykewood Concert.

"Go into mine, I. Of course he would not get. Why, the old man has been so dead yet six months, and it isn't twice the poor lads were drowned in the Dike—a jolly chance for a sailor's son."

"That's no matter. Mr. Hugh Carlton is not a near relative. Where they fished him up from, no one can tell. And then he has an invalid sister."

"To whom he is very good."

"This was from an elderly bachelor who was grim and testy, but whose business one might mind. He took snuff as he said it. He also stuck his cane into the carpet savagely, as though that had been the speaker, and wanted putting down."

"And I should like to know what man, worthy the name, wouldn't be good to an invalid sister?" persisted this gentleman.

"Of course, Mr. Crane, of course. But then she is an invalid, you know, which might be a great deal."

"Her brother's dancing attendance on a bery of music-mad young ladies, and screaming up to B flat," said Mr. Crane, pulling a face, for the most part, like a child, and besides, they could not take the high notes. Now, a real tenor, after the fashion of Mario Sini, was what the thing wanted; therefore, from Mr. Hugh Carlton's somewhat thin brown cheeks, moustaches, long hair, and general foreign appearance, it had been suggested as not impossible that he might supply the deficiency.

"At any rate," said Miss Grafton, "we will not take him on at your valuation, Mr. Crane."

three," he said to himself: "I feel like playing at being a rich man. Pleasant play, though! Ah, I am thankful it didn't come too late."

He hung down his cigar, and walked quickly towards the house. He passed the wide stone steps, which looked so imposing, pushed open a French window and entered a small drawing room, at the end of which a young girl lay on a couch near this window, young, but with the faintest rose-tint in the cheeks, from which suffering had driven the healthy blood; the hands that she stretched out, and which were faintly thin, and the large eyes, which filled with tender light when they saw him, seemed too large for the wasted features. Yet in a certain way she was beautiful. Hugh Carlton knelt down beside the couch, and put his arm under her head gently.

"Is it pleasant, sister?" he said. "Are you happy here amongst the birds and flowers, or do you long for bluer skies?"

"No, Hugh," replied the girl; "there was trouble under them."

"Ah, but it was growing lighter," said Hugh.

"I know it was," said the girl, "but what of that? They should have appreciated you before; they shall not have you now to make a play-thing of them. You are a thousand times more than my own sister. It seems too good to be true."

"I do, indeed," said Hugh, smilingly. "I am ready to wear my own eyes sometimes I may not be able to pay them for their work. I am only thankful that all this came when it did."

"That's for my sake," said the girl, clasping his neck with a sudden, passionate movement of affection. "Hugh, how shall I ever repay you?"

"I tell you, sister, that I have long ago sacrificed everything for me. Many a time you thought I did not know when something had to be given up, because you would not leave me to the care of strangers. You would have got on, and been famous long ago, but for me. Tell me, is not that so?"

"Perhaps I didn't want fame, Ebel," he replied.

"Ah, but poverty would have been over you," said Ebel; "and I know, I know—Hugh, don't you remember what Ebel, the accountant said about you?"

"He was an old woman," said Hugh.

"You know better," said Ebel; "and if you had come to England, as he said, you would have done better. He is not a just man, but he is a good man."

"Never," said Hugh, curiously.

"You preferred slaving your best years away for me?"

"I don't wonder how many sisters are as patient and uncomplaining as mine," retorted Hugh. "We won't talk of the old days now, Ebel. I declare that I never wished to sit in the place which those poor lads should have filled successfully before me. I never thought of such a chance."

"When I read of the accident, and saw that advertisement for the next of kin, I was piteous in the shock as well as—but never mind."

"No," said Ebel, "let it rest. I have had visitors again, Hugh. That kind old Mrs. Wynne came with her daughter. It was very good of her, for though she is not very young, she is a good deal of a help."

"Why do they always come when I'm from home?" said Mr. Carlton to a lady who passed over his face. "It looks as if there was something special about me, Ebel."

"So there is," replied Ebel. "You are so silent and stern-looking like a brigand. You never open your lips to any one but me. But you must call upon Mrs. Wynne and her daughter. They are your family."

"Fancy your boasting tenants! Will you have a rent-day, Hugh, and a grand feast in the park, and send me a card?"

"Everybody? See there! What's coming up the avenue? A carriage of ladies! Let me see—some part of the concert is to be held here."

"Do you know the recitative?"

"Recitative," repeated Hugh, absently. "I don't know it, but I will try to get the music, and you will run through it with me at home. I don't think you will want me at the rehearsal," he added, with a twinkle in his eye, "I wish you good evening."

Mr. Carlton's step was more elastic than that of a young man, and he was in the park, and the beauty of the woods and fields done his good. At any rate it was a very bright face that he stepped at the door, and he was in the park, and the beauty of the woods and fields done his good.

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He was perfectly passive and immovable until his own turn came, when he stepped forward and took his music.

Even Hugh must not help him, but he was conscious of the subdued rustle which swept through the hall at his appearance—a rustle which he felt as a man who is conscious of the presence of a great power.

The silence remained unbroken for some moments after the song was over, and then the applause broke out in deafening clamor, that would not cease until Mr. Carlton had spoken three or four times.

"And besides, I feel very like a schoolboy still. I never saw a wall like this before, and I never saw a wall like this before."

"What is it?" Mrs. Wynne said.

"No," interrupted Ebel; "mamma is all right. That is all. And there it is, nothing the matter, only—Mr. Carlton is very much to do something to you, if you can't be angry."

"Angry?" said Ebel. "We ought to be friends by this time, Miss Wynne. You are not afraid of me?"

"No," said Ebel; "but I wanted your sister to say it, and she wouldn't. She said that I must speak to you myself—that you must speak to her. Mr. Carlton is the best of friends."

"Hugh's face changed in a moment. Subdued mirth gleamed in his eyes, and twisted the corners of his lips into a mischievous smile. But Ebel was not looking at him."

"You think I shall make a worse mess than the rest?" he said.

Bertie did not answer; she was looking away from the woods toward the spires of Dykewood, some mile distant.

SUMMARY OF THE WEEK.

General Intelligence.

Gold closed in New York on the 21st at 160.

The story that last week 1,000 stand of arms were abstracted from the army in Washington, proves to be a miserable hoax.

The Secretary of the Treasury held on the 20th \$91,000,000 in gold of which amount \$21,600,000 is held in gold certificates.

The postal service in the eleven States, which before the war did not pay expense, during the past year netted the Government over \$200,000.

Adjutant General Thomas, who has just returned from a Southern tour, states that almost every Northern man engaged in cotton planting this year has lost money.

Judge Henry Cooper, of Murfreesboro, has decided, in a case pending before him, that the Government of Tennessee is bogus, and the franchise law unconstitutional.

The entire population of the District of Columbia is set down at 129,837, divided as follows: Washington 102,272; Georgetown, 14,632; county, 5,623, total, 122,527.

The report that Maximilian is not allowed to leave Mexico by the French, is not believed in Washington. General Grant, however, believes he will embark before the end of December.

The Government of the United States has commenced a suit in France to recover a large amount of money accruing from the building there of "vessels for the Emperor of China" on rebel American account.

A Washington dispatch asserts that there are at present fifteen or twenty thousand troops concentrated between Baltimore and Washington, but gives no information as to the object aimed at in the gathering of this large force.

Mr. Sillit, the once famous rebel Minister to France, and one of our most active enemies in Europe, recently applied to the Government for pardon, through Mr. Biglow, Minister at Paris. The reply of the Government was that no intercourse or correspondence of any kind will be held with Mr. Sillit.

Late advices from Mexico assert that Maximilian has been intercepted in his "march to the sea," and carried back to the capital. He was offered his liberty on condition of his abdication in favor of a person named by Bazaine. Maximilian offered to abdicate in favor of Prince Francisco, but this offer was rejected by Bazaine. The Emperor refusing to comply with the demand of the French General, he still remains a prisoner.

The steamer Pioneer returned to New London, Conn. on the 14th, from a six months' tour in the Arctic Ocean after whales. She penetrated as far as the icebergs, and communicated with Dr. Hall and party, who were looking for traces of Sir John Franklin's expedition, on the 20th of July, at which time they were all well. The voyage was more successful than that of any other vessel in the same waters, and thus demonstrated the practicability of our whale reselling steam power.

The Herald has a special from Greenwich Observatory, England, detailing a shower of meteors seen on the morning of the 14th, described to be of great beauty and brilliancy. Five thousand were counted in one hour, and nearly twelve thousand in all. Prof. Loomis, of Yale College, pronounces the display stupendous, and it is probable that there has been witnessed this year in any part of the world a display of meteors at all to be compared with the grand display of 1825.

The official report of the commander of the allied army in the Paraguayan war, admits that the allies were severely beaten in the attack upon Fort Corupaty. Its fortifications were mounted with fifty-six pieces of cannon, and defended by fourteen battalions. The attacking forces comprised 18,000 men, half Brazilian half Argentine. The total losses are not reported, though the killed and wounded of one of the columns is officially stated to be 1,625. The entire casualties doubtless were not short of 5,000.

The West.

Gen. Logan's complete official majority for congressman-at-large from Illinois, is 53,387.

The drawing of the Crosby Opera House Art Association has been fixed for the 21st of January next.

Another serious conflagration visited the business portion of Chicago, on the 18th, consuming \$44,000 worth of property.

The farmers throughout Southern Indiana say that the present crop of logs is the largest and best felled for the past five years.

Passengers from Fort Riley will next week be able to reach New York city in twenty-two hours, meeting with no delay at St. Louis.

The Merchants' Union Express Company have opened an office in Des Moines, Iowa. The result is a tremendous reduction in rates by the old companies.

The Quincy Way of the 13th pronounces the story of the burying alive and subsequent rescue of a woman near the city a hoax originated by some unknown person.

A number of Italian fruit vendors have been arrested at Cincinnati, for uttering counterfeit of the new five cent coin. The counterfeit is well cast, but is nearly all lead.

Asaiah in Linn county, Kansas, having sold his farm on the 6th instant, and home with three thousand dollars in his pocket, and was robbed of the money by two ruffians as he was passing through the woods.

The number of white male inhabitants in Indiana, as returned to the Auditor of State, agreeably to the act of the last Legislature, is 336,610, with Green county yet to be reported.

Charles Champagne, a workman in Princeton, N. J., on Saturday, the 17th, filed against a circular saw, which cut his hand almost off at the wrist, so that it hung only by the skin.

In consequence of the change in the route of the Union Pacific Railroad, a large amount of stock in Kansas and Nebraska has been restored to entry and settlement under the Homestead and Pre-emption laws.

A jail delivery occurred at Leavenworth last week, in which nine prisoners suddenly pushed open the doors, overpowered the guards, and escaped into the country. One of them was recaptured.

A sister of John Merryweather has just been discovered in Chicago in destitute circumstances, and beaten by her drunken husband. In justice to the Congressman elect, who is a liberal man to the poor, it should be stated that he was unaware of her destitution.

On Thursday, the 8th, a loaded gun fell from the ceiling of the house of Mr. Corbell, of Bourbonnais, Illinois, and the hammer striking on a chair as it fell, the contents were discharged in the direction of a window around which six children were playing. Five of the children were hit by the shot, and more or less cut by the broken glass. Two of the children were severely wounded, but probably not fatally.

There was a frightful locomotive explosion at Newburgh, Ohio, on the Atlantic & Great Western railroad, on Tuesday, the 20th, killing Fred Gardner, the engineer, and James T. Green, the fireman. Gardner's body was thrown to the left and forward about 150 feet, while that of Mr. Green was thrown to the right and forward into an adjoining field 500 feet. The bodies of both being mangled beyond recognition. The explosion was remarkable for its completeness. No one portion of the engine gave way, but the whole of it was broken into a thousand pieces and scattered in every direction. One piece of the boiler, weighing about 800 pounds, was carried eastward about 1,000 feet, falling beside two hay stacks in an adjoining field. Another piece, 8x12 feet, weighing near a ton, was carried about 1,000 feet westward, and falling on the roof of a house, crushed through the roof and down to the floor, dropping at the feet of the horrified woman of the house. No one seemed to have any satisfactory theory of the explosion. The locomotive had been only two and a half months on the road.

The South.

The cattle disease, raging with singular fatality in the country around Nashville, Tennessee, in some farms, where Texas cattle have been introduced, entire herds have died.

two, whom they hung. Afterward they proceeded to Cornwallville, Mercer county, and, having captured one of the desperadoes, hung him.

The State of Georgia lost over \$700,000,000 in real and personal estate by the war, besides over \$300,000,000 swallowed up in the various repatriated rebel losses. The population, too, has decreased from 907,748 in 1851, to 84,809 in 1860, showing a loss of 12,839. Georgia's losses are but a type of those of the entire South caused by the rebellion.

About eight o'clock on the 20th, the expected prize fight took place at Johnson's landing, below Alexandria, Va. The contestants were Mike Carr, alias English, of Washington, and W. H. White of Baltimore. Forty-four rounds were fought in thirty-six minutes. On the seventh round White's shoulder was dislocated. It is said that English fairly won the fight, but the referee claiming that a foul blow was struck by him, gave the victory to White.

The Masonic fraternity of Maryland had a gala day on the 20th, the occasion being the laying of the corner stone of a new Masonic Temple, the grand lodge of the State officiating. Over five thousand Masons were present. A ten course dinner and a dollar banquet was given in the evening by the Grand Lodge. The gavel used by the Grand Master at the ceremonies was the same that was used by Washington when, as Grand Master, he laid the corner stone of the Capitol at Washington in 1793. It is made of stone and capped with gold.

The banditti who captured a railroad train near Franklin, Kentucky, lately, have been captured. Stimulated by a large reward (\$10,000) offered by the railroad company, parties have pursued them with extraordinary vigor, and have arrested seven of them. The men arrested belonged with one or two exceptions, to the 62d Kentucky Infantry, which had the reputation during the war of being about the roughest in the Western service. One of them has turned State's evidence. It is ascertained that the guerrilla Harper had nothing to do with the robbery. The "last man" of the men was found last week secreted in a cave near Franklin. As soon as he was taken he confessed the whole affair.

The East.
The telegraph announces the failure of a gold brokerage firm in New York on contracts amounting to \$4,000,000.

It is rumored the Gen. Butler is about to purchase the New York City of Commerce as a stepping stone to the Presidency.

The dry goods market in New York on the 16th was paucity, and hardly quotable, as sales could hardly be effected at any reasonable price.

In view of a possible expedition to Ireland, the Stephens family of New York speak of the necessity of their cutting the Atlantic cable at this end.

The attempt of the celebrated horse Capt. McGowan to trot twenty-one miles inside an hour at Boston, on the 16th, was a failure, and he was withdrawn at the thirtieth mile.

The immense "Rocking Rock," in Durham, New Hampshire, was levered out of its position by some rascals, a few days ago, and one of the wonders of the world was thus destroyed.

A fatal accident occurred on the Buffalo & Erie Railroad on last Tuesday morning, by which four persons were killed, and some forty injured. The accident was caused by the negligence of workmen engaged in repairing the track.

Evacuation Day is one of the great New York holidays. It occurs on Monday, November 20, and was celebrated by only a single parade of the New York soldiers. It is the anniversary of the evacuation of New York by the British troops in 1783.

Of the emigrants arriving at New York this year, the several Northwestern States received the following accretions: Illinois, 19,906; Indiana, 22,888; Michigan, 9,516; Iowa, 3,373; Wisconsin, 7,893; Minnesota, 3,247; Missouri, 4,266; Ohio, 11,147; Kansas, 118.

A Woman's Rights Convention met at Albany on the 20th. The attendance was small. Lucy Stone Blackwell presided. She urged the advocates of equal rights to make common cause with the blacks. Mr. Stanton, Fred Douglas, Parker Pillsbury, and others were present, and took part in the proceedings. Resolutions were adopted strongly in favor of giving the right of suffrage to all without regard to sex or color, and recommending the election of women as delegates to the approaching Constitutional Convention in that State.

Comique.
—Men are called fools in one age for not knowing what men were called fools for asserting in the age before.

—Come here, Johnny," said a schoolmaster, "do you know your A. B. C.?" "Yes, sir, I know," replied the boy.

—A lady once remarked that "carelessness was little better than a half way house between accident and death."

—It was with a great deal of difficulty that a clergyman in Liverpool effected immersion a young lady with ermine on.

—A Scotch preacher took his text from the Psalm of David, "I said in my haste that all men were liars." He paused, read his text, and then looking round on his flock, remarked: "Did ye, David, my son? Gin ye had been here, ye might have said so to your leisure."

—The Seamstress (III). *Reputation says*—A handsome young lady, weighing over 500 pounds, was in town last week on a visit to a married sister, who weighs over 400, who lives near this place. She is said to be a single lady, but it seems more probable that she is several single ladies rolled into one.

—Dr. Williamson had a quarrel with one of his parishioners by the name of Hardy, who showed considerable resentment. On the following Sunday the doctor preached from the following text, which he pronounced with great emphasis and with great emphasis, and with a significant look at Hardy, who was present: "There is no fool like the fool Hardy."

An exchange paper published not long since some verses composed by one of its contributors.

The young lady referred to made complaint, and the editor threatened himself with a next paper. For a dirty he substituted the word "dainty." This made matters all right.

In England, people are largely in the majority over pigs—five people to one pig.

CURRENT ITEMS.

Personal and Literary.
The Black Swan is giving concerts in Richmond.

The youngest son of President Johnson has entered Georgetown College.

There is a paper in Erie, Pa., very absurdly called the *Weekly Father Abraham*.

Mr. CLARK LANE, of Hamilton, Ohio, has erected a free library building for young men in that city, at an expense of \$10,000.

JOHN MORRISSEY paid his election expenses by betting on Hoffman's majority in New York city. He won over \$500,000 in that way.

DANIEL CAMPBELL, Esq., Inspector of the New York Metropolitan Police, died very suddenly in that city, on the 15th, from fatty degeneration of the heart.

The new Boston magazine, edited by Mrs. Julia Ward Howe and Mr. Gilmore, is to be called *Northern Lights*. The illustrations will be engraved by John Andrew.

GENERAL BARNARD has publicly declared that no man shall have employment on the railroad of which he is president, who has not served in the Confederate army.

The Right Rev. F. A. Rutledge, Bishop of Florida, died in Tallahassee, on the 15th, at the age of seventy-four years.

MISS BRANNON is a little runty in her knowledge of juvenile anatomy, or she would not make children play hop scotch on door-steps, as she does in her new story.

ONE of our exchanges says that Mrs. Bethebebe Coggeshall, of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, is sixty-one years of age, and her eldest boy is seventy-four years old.

REV. H. WARD BROWN has withdrawn from the *Independent* and will appear in the *Examiner* and *Chronicle* and in the *Rebeller*. The antagonism created between Mr. Beecher and Mr. Tilton by the political course of the former, is the cause of this step taken by Mr. Beecher.

LOUIS FOX, the celebrated billiard player, was seriously wounded recently, at his house in Rochester, by the accidental discharge of a pistol in a pocket of his coat. He was in the act of putting the coat on when the pocket struck a table, discharging the pistol. The ball entered the abdomen, and lodged in the thigh, beyond the reach of the probe. The doctors think he will recover.

MR. GEORGE PRADON, during his stay in Zanesville, received from the ladies of that city, donations for the aid of individuals, corporation, for charitable and other purposes, in fact for almost every conceivable object for which money could be applied—to all which he paid no attention. But to Bishop McVane he gave, unasked, the sum of \$25,000 for the benefit of Kenyon College.

IT is announced that Ristort's theatrical success in America has been almost without precedent. On the evening of September 20th, and the receipts of twenty-six representations in that city and Brooklyn were \$70,000. She has since given in Boston ten representations, and one in Providence, the receipts being \$30,000, making \$100,000 paid to the set of putting the coat on when the pocket struck a table, discharging the pistol. The ball entered the abdomen, and lodged in the thigh, beyond the reach of the probe. The doctors think he will recover.

JAMES ISORLOW devotes most of the money she saves from her writings to charitable purposes. She lives in London, with her mother, in a very retired manner, giving a part of her time to personal attention to the poor. Besides her various other charities, she has set up a dinner table for the indigent sick—especially those just out of the hospital, and neither has ever been out of the limits of the State. Mrs. Appleton rode in the steam cars only once during her life, and when she did, she was accompanied by her husband and only taken two rides in the steam cars, though he occasionally rode alone. Mrs. Appleton is now in her ninety-two years of age, and has survived all but one of a family of six children.

A new clergyman is just now at the zenith of popularity in New York. Rev. Charles B. Smith, but a few months ago, began to preach there, and within that time, by the novelty of his ideas, his peculiar style and the undoubted force and rhetoric of his language, he has succeeded in so far engaging the public attention that he preaches every Sunday in Cooper Institute to an audience greater than that of any divine in the country. He is a man of many talents, and his preaching is remarkable. He is already so popular that it is proposed to build him a magnificent church, and he is expected to return to the pulpit in the office of the contractor, where he is to be employed.

Domestic Paragraphs.
—Barnyard says the needle gun is a humbug.

—Corporal punishment has been abolished in the Zanesville public schools.

A man in Williamsburg, N. Y., has patented a combination cradle and rocking chair.

The two-year-old filly, *Maggie Hunter*, of Nashville, has been sold to a Kentuckian for \$10,000.

The new depot at Cleveland, O., is 635 feet long, 108 feet wide and contains 108,540 square feet, and cost \$360,000.

The population of Cincinnati is estimated at 210,000. In 1830 that city contained but 16,000 inhabitants.

A colored committee in Boston have arranged a colored course of lectures to be called the "John Brown Course."

The Union Pacific Railroad has been completed to Junction City, the first train ran into that place on the 6th inst.

In New York the Russian baths have been introduced, and are likely to be very popular among those who can afford to enjoy them.

A dog fell into a pit ten feet deep, at Bennington, Vt., recently, and lived twenty-two days on roots and grass before he was discovered and rescued.

The last horse story we have in the *Veritable New Jersey paper*. The horse is said to be 20 hands high, and his avoirdupois is recorded at 2,368 pounds.

The Milwaukee *Seamster* reports a singular case. A lady was tripped up by her own ermine and fell to the sidewalk, when a sharp stick struck her in the eye, forcing the organ almost completely from its socket.

A single ton of coal recently sent from Louisville to New Orleans by a Pittsburgh firm contained 925,000 bushels, or three and a quarter acres as it lay in its original bed. This was the largest shipment of coal ever made by a single ton boat.

The owners of the steam mill at Menomonie, Wisconsin, have thirty-five thousand acres of land in that vicinity, two thousand acres of which are under cultivation for supplies. Fifty men are employed in the mills, and forty thousand feet of lumber a day are manufactured.

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A boy about twelve years of age, of St. Joseph county, Indiana, while out hunting ducks, one day laid, with a hammer on a weed, when it went off, lodging the contents in his side, near the heart. He died the next day.

The St. Paul *Pioneer* says it has been discovered that the remains of "Slakopee" and "Melanie Bottle," Indians who were among the first settlers of the city, are in possession of the doctors. "Slakopee" was preserved in spirits, and is now on exhibition at the St. Paul Medical Society.

The once powerful Six Nations have dwindled down to a population of about 4,000, residing at different points in southern and central New York. They generally cultivate farms with industry and success, and value their property amounting to \$30,000, and that they appreciate the benefits of civilization is seen by the fact that they have 572 scholars attending 23 schools.

The *Sixth City Register* says that a few evenings ago it saw a young man of seely exterior and unkempt hair, who was just down from the mountains, seek passage in the Council Bluffs stage. When he came to take his seat in the stage, he turned out to be the owner of a box containing about one hundred pounds of gold dust. His companions in the same coach possessed gold to the amount of nearly two hundred thousand dollars.

The new Merchants' Union Express Company has made a contract with the Chicago & North Western Railway Company to extend its operations over the several branches of that road, which will be done immediately. This company is already running over 8,000 miles of lines from the Atlantic coast to the Mississippi river. It now runs from Chicago, over the Illinois Central, Michigan Central, St. Louis and Rock Island, and will, by the first of January, be running over every railroad out of Chicago.

The Supreme Court of Connecticut has recently adjudicated a case, which has some peculiar features. Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, husband and wife, were killed in a railroad accident at Berlin—Mrs. Dixon surviving her husband, but a few hours. The heirs of both sued for damages. In each case received \$4,000 damages. The question just decided was whether the damages in the case of Mrs. Dixon should be the same as in the case of her husband. The court decided that the latter must have the entire \$5,000.

—Andrew Brockman, one of the victims of the Influenza epidemic, at New Ulm, Minn., has arrived at Buffalo. He experienced the torture of seeing his cabin in flames, and his wife and children perished before his eyes, and was then horribly mutilated—his tongue cut out, hamstringing, his fingers severed from his head, and his arms and legs severed from his body. He has been previously perforated with three bullets; but despite these wounds he has survived. He was carried to St. Luke City, where he has remained in hospital for three years.

It is getting to be quite a fashion in California to take the family to the country, and camp out under the trees. They pitch their tent and load a gypsy life into a small wagon, and, with a few cooking utensils, and a little washing. As it never rains until a proper time appointed by the almanac, they are not troubled by the weather. They are very happy, and they come back very brown and very healthy. The doctors discourage the practice, and say it is a dangerous experiment, and that it is a waste of time and money. They say that it is a waste of time and money, and that it is a waste of time and money.

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An Invention of Extra Merit METAL TOP LAMP CHIMNEY, THAT WILL NOT BREAK BY HEAT.

Burn up all gas and smoke, never heat chimney, no soot, short, and not top heavy, is easily cleaned by removing top, in fact, the most perfect chimney known—and is fast superseding all others where it has been introduced. No dealer can afford to be without them. NEW LAMP CHIMNEY CO., 73 Warren St. N. Y.

AMERICAN HOUSE, JOHN MOLL, Proprietor, MINNEAPOLIS. Having lately made an addition to the above house I am now prepared to accommodate all. The tables are always well supplied. A good stable is attached to the house. JOHN MOLL.

Stillwater Advertisements.

BUTLER & DOED, Commission and Forwarding MERCHANTS.

SALT, HIDES, GRAIN, FLOUR, FEED AND WOOL.

Agents for Northwestern American Express Co's.

Stillwater, Minnesota, January 16, 1890. NEW JEWELRY STORE.



The undersigned begs leave to inform the people of Stillwater and vicinity that he has removed his Jewelry Store from Hudson to the city of Stillwater, where he intends to locate permanently.

It is prepared to clean and repair Clocks and Watches, repair Jewelry, &c., in better and more durable manner than the same can be done elsewhere. Coins, or the East. Give me a call.

Shop on Main Street, next door to the Scheffer & Thompson's Bank. All Work Warranted!

Also an assortment of Clocks, Watches and Jewelry constantly on hand, which are warranted to be such as represented. R. HILLINGWORTH, Stillwater March 17, 1890. 7 1941

Miscellaneous. C. L. BARNES & CO., Steamboat, Railroad and EXPRESS AGENT. PRESCOTT, WIS.

Job Printing, in all its varieties, done with neatness and dispatch. The Kerosene Office is well stocked with Job Material of the latest style. All orders for work promptly attended to.

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[Successors to COOLEY, CARVER, & CO.]

WHOLESALE GROCERS, and Commission Merchants,

NUMBER 3, JACKSON STREET, SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA

We have in Store one of the LARGEST STOCKS of STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES, Tobacco and Cigars.

Which were selected by experienced buyers at Low Figures, to meet the wants of this Trade. We would respectfully solicit an inspection of our Stock, as we feel confident we can meet the views of the closest buyers.

We are also prepared to handle Country Produce of all kinds, and make liberal cash advances on consignments.

Referring to the above, we take pleasure in commending our successors to our old friend and patrons throughout the State, soliciting for them a continuance of the favors hitherto extended to us. Very Respectfully, COOLEY, CARVER & CO., Saint Paul, October 10th, 1885, v3-n3-4f

Miscellaneous. DRS. SPICER & GRISWOLD, Physicians and Surgeons

Having located permanently at Taylors Falls are prepared to attend to all professional calls, day and night. Surgery will receive special attention. Office next door to W. H. C. Folsom's Store. Taylors Falls July 7, 1890.

New Meat Market. TAYLOR FALLS. (Government St. opposite the Chicago House.) J. D. BALLARD.

The highest market price paid for Beef, Cattle, Sheep, Mutton, Hides, Furs, &c. Taylors Falls Minn., June 24 1890. n30

ANTON BAIER, BOOT AND SHOE MAKER, Taylors Falls, - - Minn.

Keeps on hand a complete stock of leather for manufacturing the goods in his line. All work warranted. A share of patronage solicited. Shop on Government St. nearly opposite the Chicago House. n49-17.

St. Croix White Lime, THORNTON & CO. FRANKCONIA, - - MINNESOTA.

This Lime is warranted to be of THE VERY BEST QUALITY

And it is carefully put up in good substantial barrels. All orders will be attended to with promptness and dispatch. ED. H. FOLSOM, Agent, Taylors Falls, 291.

Stoves and Tinware. JUST RECEIVED!

I now offer the latest and most desirable Patterns of Stoves, AND A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF TINWARE.

To the trade, which will be sold at near Chicago and Milwaukee prices, as the extra expense of having down the goods in this market will allow. I am now prepared to fill all orders for TINWARE, STOVE PIPE, &c., &c. An examination of Stock, prices, &c., &c., is solicited.

Call at the old stand, on First Street near the bridge. THOMAS LACY

DRUG STORE, BENCH ST., TAYLORS FALLS.

H. MURDOCK, Dealer in A Complete Assortment of DRUGS & MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, PUTTY, DYE STUFFS, STATIONERY, VARNISHES, DIARIES, PATENT MEDICINES.

Yankee Notions and EVERYTHING IN HIS LINE OF BUSINESS.

All Medicines, Domestic Wines and Liquors, Warranted Pure and Genuine, and at low prices for cash. Taylors Falls, May 19. n23

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Also General Steamboat Agent. Taylors Falls, Minn., May 14, 1890. OSCAR ROOS, General Insurance Agent. FIRE, LIFE, AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE. Collected in the best Eastern Companies.

Wm. Dobney's Column.

WILLIAM DOBNEY, CORNER STORE.

Successor to N. M. & S. HUMPHREY & Co.

Takes pleasure in informing the citizens of Taylors Falls and vicinity that he has purchased the old stand, known as the

"CORNER STORE,"

Which he has thoroughly refitted and renovated.

This is now The Place to Purchase.

For in addition to the well selected stocks on hand, he has ordered

A NEW SUPPLY

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods & Groceries.

Consisting in part of Dress Goods, Merinoes, Cloaking, Delains, Hosiery, Calicoes, Gloves, Lawns, Balmorals, Skirts, Millinery Trimmings, White Goods, &c., &c., Straw, Fur and Wool HATS AND CAPS.

BOOTS & SHOES, For Ladies, Gents, and Misses' Wear.

Crockery & Glasware, HARDWARE, And a full assortment of GROCERIES.

He Has Just Received A FULL STOCK OF Stone and Earthen Ware, GLASS FRUIT JARS, &c., &c.

Also a full assortment of CUTLERY.

HAVING PURCHASED HIS STOCK AT LOW FIGURES AND FOR CASH, HE WILL SELL THEM ON THE SAME TERMS.

He invites an examination of his stock before purchasing and believes that his facilities are such that he can offer you bargains.

TERMS CASH WILLIAM DOBNEY, AT THE CORNER STORE

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE, WE take pleasure in commending our Successor to our old friends and patrons, soliciting for him a continuance of the favors hitherto extended to us.

Very Respectfully, N. M. & S. HUMPHREY & Co., Taylors Falls, July 25, 1890. n33

D. A. Caneday's Column.

CANEDAY'S FAMILY SUPPLY STORE.

SUGARS, of all qualities at CANEDAY'S.

MOLASSES of the different grades at CANEDAY'S.

COFFEES, Rio and Java, best in Market at CANEDAY'S.

TEAS, Green and Black at CANEDAY'S.

MACKEREL Herring &c. at CANEDAY'S.

CANNED Fruits in great variety at CANEDAY'S.

CONFECTIONARY of all kinds at CANEDAY'S.

SPICES of every kind at CANEDAY'S.

LOBSTERS, Oysters and Sardines at CANEDAY'S.

PRUNES, Raisins and Currants at CANEDAY'S.

NUTS of various kinds at CANEDAY'S.

TOBACCO, Smoking and chewing at CANEDAY'S.

WOODEN Ware at CANEDAY'S.

PICKLES, Catsup, &c. at CANEDAY'S.

SALERATUS, Soda, Starch, &c. at CANEDAY'S.

CANDLES, Soap, &c., at CANEDAY'S.

POWDER, Shot, Lead and Caps at CANEDAY'S.

A Lecture to Young Men. Just published, in a sealed envelope. Price 6 cents. A Lecture on the nature, treatment and radical cure of Syphilis, or Venereal Weakness, Involuntary Emissions, Sexual Debility and Impediments to Marriage generally. Nervousness, Consumption, Epilepsy and Fits; Mental and Physical Incapacity, resulting from self-abuse, &c. By Robert J. Culverwell, M. D., author of the "Green Book," &c. The world renowned author, in this admirable Lecture, clearly proves, from his own experience, that the awful consequences of self-abuse may be effectually removed without medicine, and without dangerous surgical operations, longlets, instruments, rings, or corsets, pointing out a mode of cure at once certain and effectual, by which every sufferer, no matter how long he has been afflicted, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically. This Lecture will prove a boon to thousands. Sent under seal to any address, in a plain, sealed envelope, on receipt of six cents or two postage stamps. Also Dr. Culverwell's marriage Guide, price 25 cents. Address: CHAS. S. CLINE & Co., 127 Bowery, New York, P. O. box 23.

A GREAT CHANCE. Eli B. Ames of Minneapolis, owns the following lands in this County, and will sell them on the best of terms: SE 1/4 Sec. 12, Town 35, Range 20 NE 1/4 " 13, " 35, " 20 NW 1/4 " 13, " 34, " 20 SE 1/4 " 30, " 34, " 19 These lands are well situated, being contiguous to Roads and Settlements. Inquire for particulars of J. L. R. Stoughton, Taylors Falls, May 18, 1890.

New Advertisements.

MORSE'S BLACKBERRY BALM.

A PURE CURE FOR Diarrhea, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, AND ALL BOWEL COMPLAINTS.

MORSE'S ITALIAN EYE BALM IS AN INFALLIBLE REMEDY FOR Diseases of the Eye.

(ACTS ON CHROMO.) Granulation of the Lids, Ulceration of the Lacrymal Glands, Film and Weakness of Vision from any cause.

This article is presented to the public with assurance of its efficacy as a curative of most diseases of the eye, of acute or chronic inflammation, whether induced by a serofulous origin or otherwise; weakness of vision; of vision; diminished tone of the optic nerve or a diseased state of the tissues constituting that delicate organ, also for all persons whose vocation requires an incessant action of the eye. The Eye Balm will act as a charm in restoring a uniform healthy action where weakness, pain and misery may have long threatened a fatal termination.

It is the most safe and effectual remedy ever discovered. The materials of which it is made are pure, perfect and costly. It is compounded with elaborate care and exactness, safe in its application, being used externally, and of course avoiding the pain and danger which necessarily attend the introduction of caustic, mineral, eye washes and lotions, that corrode and destroy the delicate tissues of that sensitive organ.

The Eye Balm which is so efficacious in relieving that most delicate and sensitive organ, the Human Eye, has been found by experience to be the best remedy in the world of alleviating pain and healing rapidly, and without a scar.

Burns, Scalds, Chafes, Chapped Lips or Hands, Ring Worm, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Sting of Insects, &c.

MORSE'S ITALIAN EYE BALM, Proprietors: J. B. LYGO, Importer, Manufacturer and Dealer in—MILLINERY GOODS.

Reches, Straw and Silk Bonnets, French Flowers and Feathers, Cloaks, Mantillas Shawls, &c. THIRD STREET, Saint Paul, Minnesota. n145 5m.

WILCOX & IBBS Sewing Machine.

Twisted Loop Elastic Lock Stitch. WIRE STITCH, HEM, FILL, TUCK, CHORD, BIND, STITCH, SEW, and Embroider Beautifully.

On the first of August, 1889, the Sewing Machine of the Wilcox & IBBS Co. was introduced into the market. It was the first machine of its kind ever introduced into the market. It was the first machine of its kind ever introduced into the market.

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CHAS. W. FOLSON, Editor & Publisher

TERMS—Two Dollars a Year.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.—On our second page we give the President's Message entire, together with an epitome of the various reports of the Secretaries, and a variety of interesting miscellany.

THE WEATHER.—No rain—no snow—no slush—no blow—no dark clouds hanging in our clear blue sky. No fogs through which to cruise—no dew-laden "blues"—no heavy wet—no sleighing yet—No!—nothing of the kind here—please remember—this fifteenth day of December.

Twenty years ago, in the winter of '46, a somewhat similar programme in the weather was inaugurated. For this winter we predict—whatever time may bring forth.

Doswenta's Gallery is now well stocked with all the necessary material for taking the finest pictures and doing the best copying in the state. Persons wishing Holiday Gifts, cannot obtain more acceptable presents for friends or relatives than the style of photographs, ambrotypes, &c., that he puts up in the most approved and beautiful manner.

ACCIDENTS.—Several accidents of a more or less serious character have occurred recently, demonstrating the necessity of accident insurance to men engaged in the active pursuits of life.

A Mr. Cowan of Wolf Creek cut his foot so severely last week, while using an ax, as to render necessary the amputation of part of his foot. Cornelius Ring of this place also cut an ugly gash in the instep of his foot, laying him up for two or three weeks. Almost every week accidents are occurring where a weekly compensation could be obtained at a small outlay now.

CHRISTMAS TRUCE.—At the meeting held at the M. E. Church on last Saturday, the following committees were appointed:

On Presents.—Mrs. D. A. Canaday, Miss Catherine M. Comer, Mrs. Charles W. Folson, Rev. B. A. Kemp and J. D. Ballard.

On Music.—J. D. Ballard, Ernest Guard and Mrs. Thos. Lacy.

On Tree.—Dr. J. R. Griswold, Mark Humphrey and John Wyckoff.

On Finance.—Wm. Dolney, Mark Humphrey and J. H. McCourt.

On Trimming Church.—Rev. B. A. Kemp, W. X. Folson, Chas. W. Folson, Rev. J. Q. Hall and Tree Committee, each gentleman to furnish a lady to assist.

The tree is designed as a town affair, and every person is desired and expected to furnish their proportion of presents.

"Have" friends has gone to Oconto and will take charge of the Polk Co. Press this winter, as Sam proposes to reside for a few months in Madison.

Journal.

An unknown scribbler tells the following as having occurred in some Good Templar's lodge, which met in an unfurnished room adjoining several sleeping apartments.

At a meeting of the lodge one of the young lady officers had no table. A polite young man stepped to one of the bed rooms and returned with a wash-stand from which he had removed the bowl and pitcher.

Accepting the thanks of the lady he gracefully bowed and resumed his seat between a couple of blooming sisters, when, to his horror, he discovered on the lower shelf of the wash-stand a domestic convenience in the crockery line which he had neglected to remove.

Blushing, he shot from the hall without regard to prescribed rules. The lady survives, but blushes and laughs when reminded of her improvised table.

A wonderful case of conscience has been discovered in Milwaukee. A lawyer borrowed a book thirteen years ago from an editor, and returned it last week. When lawyers make restitution there is hope for the country.

Song of the Decanter.

There was an old decanter,
And its mouth was
Singing with the
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The undersigned beg leave to inform the

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He is prepared to clean & repair Clocks

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and more durable manner than the same can

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Give me a call.

Shop on Main street, next door the Scheffer

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All Work Warranted!

Also an assortment of Clocks, Watches and

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in all its varieties, done with neatness and

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ROCK'S STOMACH BITTERS, after

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not only a tonic, but a powerful

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We have in Store one of the LARGEST STOCKS of

STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES,

Tobaccos and Cigars.

Which were selected by experienced buyers at Low Figures, to meet the wants of

this Trade. We would respectfully solicit an inspection of our Stock, as we feel confident

we can meet the views of the closest buyers.

We are also prepared to handle Country Produce of all kinds, and make liberal cash ad-

vances on consignments.

Referring to the above, we take pleasure in commending our successors to our old friend

and patrons throughout the State, soliciting for them a continuance of the favors hitherto

extended to us. Very Respectfully,

COOLEY, CARVER & CO.

Saint Paul, October 10th, 1885, 13-34f

Miscellaneous.

DRS. SPICER & GRISWOLD.

Physicians and Surgeons

Having located permanently at Taylors

Falls are prepared to attend to all profes-

sional calls, day and night.

Surgery will receive special attention.

Office next door to W. H. C. Folsom's Store.

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The highest market price paid for Beef,

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Keeps on hand a complete stock of leather

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icited. Shop on Government St. nearly op-

posite the Chicago House. n40-1y.

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This Lime is warranted to be of

THE VERY BEST QUALITY

And it is carefully put up in good substan-

tial barrels. All orders will be attended to

with promptness and dispatch.

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JUST RECEIVED!

I now offer the latest and most desirable

Patterns of Stoves,

AND A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

TINWARE.

To the trade, which will be sold as near Chi-

cago and Milwaukee prices, as the extra ex-

pense of having down the goods in this mar-

ket will allow. I am now prepared to fill

all orders for

TINWARE, STOVE PIPE, &c., &c.

An examination of Stock, prices, &c., &c., is

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Call at the old stand, on First Street near

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A Complete Assortment of

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Yankee Notions and

EVERYTHING IN HIS LINE OF

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All Medicines, Domestic Wines and Liquors,

Warranted Pure and Genuine,

and at low prices for cash.

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Reflected in the best Eastern Companies.

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Takes pleasure in informing the citizens of

Taylors Falls and vicinity that he has pur-

chased the old stand, known as the

"CORNER STORE,"

Which he has thoroughly refitted and re-

novated.

This is now

The Place to Purchase.

For in addition to the well selected stocks

on hand, he has ordered

A NEW SUPPLY

of

Staple and Fancy

Dry Goods & Groceries,

Consisting in part of

Dress Goods, Merinoes,

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Straw, Fur and Wool HATS AND CAPS.

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And a full assortment of

GROCERIES.

He Has Just Received

A FULL STOCK OF

Stone and Earthen Ware,

GLASS FRUIT JARS, &c., &c.

Also a full assortment of

CUTLERY.

HAVING PURCHASED HIS STOCK

AT LOW FIGURES AND FOR

CASH, HE WILL SELL

THEM ON THE

SAME TERMS.

He invites an examination of his stock be-

fore purchasing and believes that his facilities

are such that he can offer you bargains.

TERMS CASH

WILLIAM DOBNEY,

AT THE CORNER STORE

Miscellany.

From the Biglow Papers, Second Series.

THE COURTNEY.

Got makes such nights, all white as still
Par' you lock or lock or lock or lock
Moonlight as 'n' on a field as hill,
All alone as all alone.

Zeek creep up quite unknown
An' peeped in thro' the window,
An' there as there as there,
An' there as there as there.

A thrupple filled the room as side
With a hush as a hush as a hush,
There was no sound as there was no sound,
To look as to look as to look.

The wain't look as there as there,
Toward the post, as there as there,
An' there as there as there,
The chime as the chime as the chime.

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young nor good looking, but a more thoroughly respectable looking person, in her condition of life, it was not easy to find. Although I had every confidence in Bowles, Bowles had had the charge of my place for the last ten years, yet there seemed some how to be a double warranty for the safeguard of my property, while Mrs. Maquess was under my roof. She was not a suspicious person, far from it; but she once remarked to me, in a meaning way, that the charge of so much valuable plate was a great responsibility, and would be even a temptation to some people; and I saw she kept her eye on Bowles. As the event proved, she was right. Maquess had only too good reason to do so.

Last Wednesday, we happened to have rather a large dinner party; I had been dining out a good deal at various clubs lately, and of course it was necessary to invite my entertainers in return. It is not that I will ask anybody to come and dine with me, but certainly some of the men were not intimate friends of mine, but only acquaintances. However, I suppose the fact of persons belonging to such clubs as I frequent is a sufficient guaranty for their social position. They were quite good enough, in my opinion, to meet Mrs. Maquess at all events, and they met her. The dinner had gone off uneventfully well. The shield-shaped salvers had been very much admired, and so had my new lawn. The ladies had retired to the drawing-room, and I had just past the vine leaf table, when I was startled by a sudden remark by the by when Bowles stepped down, and whispered in my ear that a person wished to see me in the hall, upon very important business.

"Ask him what it is," said I. "It is important, but I can't leave my guests, and I did ask him, sir, and he refuses to state," replied Bowles, confidentially. "It is my opinion," said I, "that a person who comes to see me in the hall, upon very important business, should be asked to wait in the parlor."

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"The ladies!" cried I, aghast at this proposal. "You don't want to go into the drawing-room?"

"It would be more satisfactory," observed the detective, coolly. "My information is very reliable. But, at all events, who is there?"

"Well," said I, "my wife is there for one; you have no information against her, I suppose?"

He nodded satisfaction so far. "Then there's the Hon. Mrs. Matcham and her daughter."

"Safe!" rejoined the detective, checking them off on his fingers.

"I suppose they're all right," remarked my inquisitor, doubtfully. "Are you sure there are no more?"

"There's my mother-in-law, but she's in her own room, and exceedingly unwell."

"Very good," observed the detective, in consequence. "There's a plant somewhere in this house, however; you may take your oath of that, and very likely in the last place where you would look for it; so now I must see the maid."

It was astonishing even to myself in what manner the investigation this man had placed upon me. Once, and once only, I had spoken by this time to a person of my acquaintance, and he had not even mentioned the name of the detective.

"The detective himself was a 'plant' that would presently blossom into a burr, and I was to be the seedling. I would bear this burden. If it was to be a trial to my patience, I would bear it."

"I was to be a silver fork or two to carry on the business of life. If this man had had a bad day with a metropolitan detective, he would never have spoken so slightly of mankind. I had read of 'the grasp of the law' in works of fiction, but I had never felt it in my own hand."

"I had to repeat, 'So now I must see the maid.' In his unobtrusive manner, he led me to the kitchen—a spot which I had not once before had occasion to penetrate. To say that the cook and the kitchen-maid stared at the phenomena of vision, is to understate the power of vision."

"Now, I dare say you have no charms, nor any temporary assistance, my good wife, even on an occasion like the present," observed my companion urbanely. "You and this young man do all the work yourselves."

"That's true, sir; we don't mind hard work now and then," returned the cook, looking at her watch. "But, besides, I don't like strangers in my kitchen. I don't like to see the maid, and I don't like to see the maid."

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Foreign Gossip.

—Sugar is worth five cents per pound in London, which is said not to be enough to pay for its manufacture.

—The Woodhead Tunnel, on the line of the Manchester and Sheffield railroad, is 18,000 feet long, and, no doubt, the longest in England.

—The Emperor of Austria employs himself in visiting his subjects, and the scenes of his life are full of interest. He is a melancholy one, both in infant and the reception of his subjects.

—The people of Havana are not allowed to marry till they have "sworn means of subsistence," and as the ideas of the officials and the people sometimes vary widely, it is frequently difficult to get married at all.

—Two old Chinese novels have recently been translated into French by M. Stanislas Julien. They are "The King of the Two Queens," and "The King of the Two Queens," or "The King of the Two Queens."

—The work of piercing Mont Cenis is completed. The tunnel, which is twelve thousand two hundred and twenty meters long, is already pierced six hundred and ten meters.

—Attempts have been made within the last few days to assassinate the Emperor of Russia, the King of Prussia, and the Emperor of Austria; besides attempted assassinations of the Ministers of the three governments.

—A newspaper in London recently contained the following: "For President of England, JOHN BRIGHT. It was merely the head-line of an advertisement, and shows in what channel the thoughts of some of the Britons are running."

—In France a steam carriage for towing boats and barges in rivers and on canals has been invented. It was tried a few days back on the river Oise, and was found to be a most successful and economical mode of transport.

—Fifteen millions of brass wire are said to be daily called for in the manufacture of wire. Some of the consumption of brass wire in the manufacture of wire may be gathered from the fact that one firm in Birmingham consumes one hundred and fifty tons of wire annually.

—A singular panic occurred on the 21st ult., on the Versailles railway, to a special train carrying a heavy load of iron. The train was stopped by a signal, and the passengers were ordered to alight.

—The Russian fleet seems preparing for a fight with somebody. An increase of his armament has been ordered equal to about 500,000 men.

—There has been renewed fighting in Candia. It is said that the Turks have been badly beaten, and have suffered greatly, not less than 3,000 having been killed and 2,000 taken prisoners.

—It is reported that a heavy concentration of troops about to commence in Toronto, in view of the near approach of the 19th of December, the day appointed for the execution of the Fenians.

—Twelve thousand breech-loading rifles are to be sent by the British government to Ireland for the use of the constabulary. The rifles are to be sent in three batches, and the first batch is to be sent in the first week of the month.

—According to the telegraph, on the 27th, Maximilian has finally left the shores of Mexico, and is now on his way to Fathland. A studied delay in the embarkation of the Emperor of Austria has been reported.

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